

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES, MINERALS AND ENERGY DIVISION OF MINERAL MINING P. O. BOX 3727; CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22903-0727 TELEPHONE: (434) 951-6310

Re: Performance Bond for The accompanying instrument, Certificate of Deposit No. _____ in the amount of \$ constitutes the performance bond for the aforementioned company under [CHECK ONE ONLY]: □ Permit Tracking Number or □ Permit Number ______, pursuant to § 45.1-183 of the **Code of Virginia**, as amended, and 4 VAC 25-31, the Virginia Reclamation Regulations for Mineral Mining. This letter certifies that the aforementioned instrument is not and will not be considered as, or used as, collateral for any other purpose by the undersigned institution. Further, without the actual presentation of the original instrument to the undersigned institution, the institution shall not authorize the withdrawal of, encumbrance, transfer of funds from, or allow the redemption of said instrument without the expressed written consent of the Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy, Division of Mineral Mining (DMM) of the Commonwealth of Virginia. It is further certified that the undersigned institution shall notify the DMM and the Permittee of any notice received or action filed alleging the insolvency or bankruptcy of the undersigned institution, or alleging any violations, which could result in the suspension or revocation of the institution's charter or license to do business. For: ______.
Name of Institution BY: ___ Name/Title of Institution Official Address: Telephone: (____) ______. Notarization -Subscribed and sworn/affirmed to before me by this _____ day of ______, 20____, in the City/County of _____. (Seal) Notary Public